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1. New United States Patent Application filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) entitled:

PRE-METERED DOSE MAGAZINE FOR DRY POWDER INHALER

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The application, 43 pages comprising:

20 pages of the specification;
6 pages of the claims (36 claims);
1 page of the abstract; and
16 Sheets of Informal Drawings (Figures 1 to 58).

2. Return postcard.


This application claims priority to Great Britain patent application 0303870.0 filed on February 20, 2003.

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